

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of: Richard C. Walker	)	
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Serial No.: 09/994,446	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: 2611
Filed: 11/27/2001	)	
	)	Examiner: CORRIELUS, JEAN B.
For: MULTI-PHASE SAMPLING	)	
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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December 7, 2006

**RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 22, 2006 please consider the remarks below. This Response is being filed with a Petition for a one-month extension of time and the corresponding fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1078.